

SCENES OF EXCITEMENT

UPROAR IN MARYLAND REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

When Congressman Mudd Walked Down the Aisle to Second the Nomination of Lowndes for Governor He Was Greeted With Hisses and Applause—Cheers, Though, Greeted His Speech—The Platform That Was Adopted.

Cambridge, Md., Aug. 15.—The republican state convention assembled here at noon to-day to nominate candidates for governor, attorney general and comptroller. The struggle among candidates, particularly for the governorship, has proceeded for weeks with an intensity seldom before shown in the republican politics of the state. Cambridge is packed to its utmost capacity with delegates and the friends and supporters of various candidates.

Lloyd Lowndes and William T. Malster are the two leading candidates for the gubernatorial nomination. The Lowndes element claims that its candidate will be nominated on the first ballot. The Malster men make similar claims, but with less definiteness and confidence.

The following platform was agreed upon in committee and will be reported to the convention later in the day, when it is likely to be agreed upon with few if any changes:

The republicans of Maryland, in convention assembled, renew their allegiance to the national republican party and declare:

(1) That they favor such a system of impost duties as shall protect American industries and provide sufficient revenue for the expenses of government economically administered, so that in time of peace the national debt shall not be increased.

(2) That they oppose any legislation which shall seek to create in this country any other or different monetary standard than that of the gold dollar, or the issuance by the government, or by its authority or permission, of any form of currency except such as shall be convertible into gold at its face value by the holder thereof at his pleasure.

The third, fourth and fifth planks deal with reassessments of property and a constitutional limitation on state indebtedness. The sixth plank is as follows:

That all the ingenious devices by which the leaders of the hitherto dominant party in this state have sought to prevent a free and fair expression of the public will at the polls shall be swept away.

The succeeding planks declare for control of election machinery by the people of the counties; annual registration in Baltimore; strict court supervision over election officers; the right of independent nominees to secure place on official ballots. As to public schools the platform says:

We pledge ourselves to such amendments of the school laws as shall exclude politics from their management and secure free schoolbooks to their pupils.

The platform concludes with a strong statement of the right of the people to control their public officials and declares in favor of local popular vote as to applying the merit system to appointments to police, fire, and other public departments.

The report of the resolution committee was adopted.

D. W. Sloane, state attorney at Annapolis, placed in nomination Hon. Lloyd Lowndes of Cumberland. The convention rose and cheered Sloane to the echo.

Ex-Congressman Mudd, the leader of the opposition, made his way to the platform amid cheers and hisses. The hisses were turned into wild applause as Mr. Mudd seconded the nomination of Lowndes and withdrew the name of his chief opponent, William T. Malster of Baltimore. Further scenes of wild disorder greeted the appearance of H. R. Torbert as he seconded the nomination of Lowndes, but paid a high compliment to Mr. Malster, whom it was expected Mr. Torbert would place in nomination. Several other addresses were delivered, all promising hearty support to Lowndes. No other name was presented and Mr. Lowndes was nominated.

Harry M. Claiborne, Jr., was nominated for attorney general, and R. P. Graham for comptroller. The convention then adjourned.

Yale Man Sues for Divorce.

Fall River, Mass., Aug. 15.—As a result of alleged infidelity, Hyacinth Ringrose, a well known young lawyer, has sought the courts to free himself from his wife, Lillian Ringrose. The case is attracting unusual attention because of the extraordinary beauty of the young wife. Young Ringrose graduated from the Yale law school about three years ago, and while a student at the New Haven institution he acquired a notoriety almost national by his writings on Henry George's theories.

Section Hand Killed at Madison.

This morning at about 1 o'clock as a west bound freight train was passing through Madison, the body of a section man was found lying on the westbound track near the overhead crossing. His name could not be ascertained, nor was it known what train struck him. It was supposed, however, that he was struck by an east bound train and thrown over on the west bound track.

Defender Taylor's Case.

Pierre, S. D., Aug. 15.—W. W. Taylor did not go to the penitentiary to-day. Late last night application was made to the supreme court for a writ of habeas corpus and a temporary writ was granted, returnable in three days. He will remain here until the court finally settles the question of the legality of his sentence.

DIED IN RHINEBECK, N. Y.

Miss Priscilla Shears, a Lady Well Known in This City.

Miss Priscilla Shears, daughter of the late Rev. Olmsted Shears of this city, died Wednesday morning in Rhinebeck, N. Y. Miss Shears has been very prominent in St. Thomas' church, this city, for many years. Her father, the late Dr. Alonzo Shears, for years kept a locally famous school for boys on Dixwell avenue. He at one time resided where the experiment station now is. Miss Shears was one of the teachers of her father's school. The deceased was also on the board of managers of the New Haven orphan asylum. Her father died several years ago, and was preceded by his death by the late Rev. Dr. O. F. P. and also of the grand lodge of the state.

Miss Shears was a finely educated lady, and had many friends in this city who will be deeply grieved to learn of her death. The remains will be brought to this city Sunday.

THE NETTLETON REUNION.

Held in Milford—A Permanent Organization Formed.

The annual picnic of the Nettleton family was held at Burns' Point, Wednesday. Among the first to arrive were Mr. John S. Lane and family, who came from Woodmont in their naphtha launch. The day was spent in renewing acquaintances, and enjoying the bathing, and rides in Mr. Lane's naphtha launch.

After dinner those present were invited into the pavilion, where a permanent organization was formed, to be called the "Nettleton association." The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Almon Nettleton, president; George W. Plumb, vice president; Edward W. Baldwin, secretary; Joseph R. Clark, treasurer. Also an executive committee was chosen to consist of the above and George W. Coy, Miss Sarah Clark, Mrs. John S. Lane, Mrs. G. W. Coy, and Mrs. Emma B. Doolittle.

About sixty were present this year, but it is hoped that with an organization arrangements will be more complete and next year the number will be much larger.

CHILD SERIOUSLY BURNED.

The Baby Was Trying to Light the Fire and Its Clothes Caught.

A three-year-old child of Martin Connors, a conductor employed on the Consolidated road, was terribly burned yesterday afternoon at its home on James street. The child was left in the house with an older child and during the absence of its mother the three-year-old got some matches and tried to start the fire. The fuel was saturated with kerosene oil, and as soon as the flame from the match struck the wood it blazed up and set the child's clothing on fire. The mother returned to the house to find the clothing burned off the little one, who was suffering great agony from its burns.

Dr. Roberts of Fair Haven was summoned and dressed the burns. It is thought that the child will recover.

A MOST PITIFUL SIGHT.

The Drowning of a Young Man Witnessed by Excursionists on the Continental Wednesday Night.

As the steamer Continental made her landing at the pier at Thirty-second street in New York to take aboard some of the excursionists of the Young Men's Republican club at 72 p. m. Wednesday there was a dark-haired young man apparently dressed in a rowing costume seen not more than thirty feet off in the wake of the steamer, struggling manfully for his life and calling out for someone to throw him a rope, but seeing no hope of rescue, and being exhausted, he gave one agonizing shriek and in his desperation sank from sight and was seen no more.

Two steamers immediately passed in the near vicinity, one directly over where the young man disappeared. It was supposed that his boat was swamped. Two ladies on the steamer were fully for his life and calling out for someone to throw him a rope, but seeing no hope of rescue, and being exhausted, he gave one agonizing shriek and in his desperation sank from sight and was seen no more.

One of the ladies thought he resembled an oarsman who had left the boat house at Bay Ridge in a small boat and rowed up the bay while the Continental had been stopping there in the afternoon. The water at the time of the accident was so agitated that it would seem impossible for a good swimmer to save himself and the poor fellow sank in his watery grave.

OF LOCAL INTEREST.

The annual reunion of the Twenty-third and Twenty-eighth regiments, Connecticut Volunteers, which was to have been held in Danbury on August 23, has been changed and the joint reunion of the two regiments will be held at Pleasant Beach on September 16.

A Rochester, N. Y., dispatch says Captain Theodore Bacon of Rochester is being urged for the appointment to the United States supreme court bench to take the place made vacant by the death of Justice Jackson. Captain Bacon is the son of the late Rev. Dr. Leonard Bacon of this city, and was captain in the war in the Seventh C. V. He is at present senior member of the law firm of Bacon, Briggs, Beckley & Bissell of Rochester. He was always a republican until the first nomination of Cleveland.

The twenty-fourth annual reunion of the Tyler family was held at Lake Compounce recently. The family, numbering about sixty, are the direct descendants of Spencer Tyler of Prospect. Four of his sons and daughters are still living and were present with their families, they being L. A. Tyler of Milford, George F. Tyler of Cheshire, Mrs. H. H. Mix of Bristol, and Mrs. William Berkeley of Waterbury. The day was perfect, and enjoyed by all, young and old alike. L. A. Tyler was re-elected president and Miss May Gilbert of New Haven secretary.

AFFAIRS AT CAMP COFFIN

THE BOOMING OF MANY GUNS WAS HEARD.

There was Myster Practice on the Bluff—The Machine Guns and the Field Guns Were Run Also—Governor's Day To-day—An Immense Crowd Expected To-day—Cool Weather Hoped For—To-day's Program.

Niantic, Conn., Camp Coffin, Aug. 15.—This has been a perfect day for the soldiers, with the thermometer only at 84 degrees at noon. The sky was unclouded, but a cool breeze swept the parade ground from the sound, and there were no complaints of the heat. To be sure, there were two prostrations reported, but they were slight ones, and the patients were discharged and sent home to-night.

Private McMahon of Company G, Second regiment, who was in the hospital this morning suffering from a sprained knee, was sufficiently recovered to leave for home on the 4 o'clock train this afternoon. The only patient now in the brigade hospital is Private James Barry, Company G, Second regiment, who has a sprained neck as the result of a wrestling match last night. He is quite comfortable and ate a hearty dinner. He sits up this afternoon and will probably be all right to-morrow. The surgeon in charge of the hospital this afternoon expressed the opinion that this was the healthiest camp he had seen for years. A number of men call at the department in the evening for prescriptions for some minor malady, colds principally, and there were very few all night cases.

The day was quiet and orderly, and there were but few men in the guard house. One man was brought in from the Second for insubordination, but he will be discharged to-morrow morning without a trial. The intoxicated civilians who attempt to gain entrance to the state camp to-day were refused, or if one managed to enter, he was speedily ordered out of the enclosure. The officers have decided that all such persons shall be excluded from the camp, as they give the place a bad reputation. One tramp who managed to crawl inside the line during the early morning, and went to sleep alongside the fence, was turned over to the civil authorities. The only person under the influence of intoxicants seen on the camp grounds to-day was a civilian.

The talk of the soldiers to-day was the story published in a New Haven morning paper this morning referring to liquor and drunkenness in camp. The article met with a hostile reception indeed, and this particular paper was denounced. There were only ten copies sold on the grounds. Officers and men were bitter in the denunciation of the article. There were even threats of running the reporter off the grounds providing it could be ascertained who wrote the story.

The "Journal and Courier" special correspondent interviewed all the officers of Colonel Burpee's staff, Colonel Burpee, and the captains of the various companies of the Second regiment, which regiment is especially attacked in the article referred to.

Colonel Burpee, for his part, said that he deemed the article an outrage, unqualifiedly so, and that there was not a grain of truth in it. He considers the present camp one of the most orderly that he has attended, and drunkenness is almost unknown. To be sure, he does not expect absolute temperance or total abstinence, for no body of 2,700 men could be brought together without some of them drinking.

Chaplain Anderson says that the story is false, and he cannot see where any reporter could have found food for such an exaggerated account. Any one needs but to go to a hotel, or, as he says, to prove to the contrary of this article. He has seen no intoxication in camp since he has been there.

Adjutant Thomas T. Welles of New Haven was asked for his opinion regarding the article, and he denied the truth of its statements in toto. He believes that for such a paper as this one to publish such a libel is ridiculous. He admits that some of the men drink, and he says that it would be impossible for such a number of men to come together without some drinking, but drunkenness is practically unknown.

Captain C. B. Bowen, Company I, Second regiment, said the affair was an outrage, and should be so branded. He, for one, would say that he never attended a camp where there was a stricter attention to business, and less liquor drinking.

Captain James J. Kennedy of the Sarsfield Guard, New Haven, said that in all his twenty-one years of camps he has never seen a more orderly camp. It has been most successful in every way, not the least in the exceptional exemption from intoxication. He says that such an article injures the paper more than the National Guard, and the article can possibly do no good.

First Lieutenant Dann of the New Haven Grays was interviewed and he said that before he came to Niantic he dreaded the ordeal. He has found, however, that the camp has been exceptionally orderly, and the officers have been able to bunk in at taps every night. He attributes this unusual state of affairs to the almost total exclusion from the grounds of intoxicating liquors.

Captain C. W. Burpee, Inspector of the Sarsfield Guard, New Haven, was also interviewed, and he most emphatically denounced the story. He says there is nothing in camp to cause such a report and the most casual observer cannot fail to note this fact. He does not believe that the article will injure the Connecticut National Guard, for those who have visited Camp Coffin must know the real state of affairs.

The matter has been the talk in all the tents during the day, and it has

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FAIR HAVEN ITEMS.

New Buildings on Fort Wooster Terrace—Wedding Anniversary—Fishing in Quinnipiac River—Entertainment at Four Corners—Trolley Ride of East Rock Lodge, A. O. U. W.

Mrs. H. I. Barnes and daughter Florence of Exchange street are visiting relatives in Wallingford.

Mrs. F. M. Reeves of 127 Exchange street is making a three weeks' visit in Sag Harbor, L. I.

Extra Healy, the Grand avenue druggist, is in Newport, N. Y.

W. G. Waters has secured the contract for plumbing four new houses to be erected on the Fort Wooster terrace. The cellars are completed and the work of erecting the frames will be pushed rapidly.

E. D. Donnelly is to erect a two-story frame house on East Ferry street. It will have all modern improvements and will be heated by a Winchester steam heater.

John Kassell, clerk at E. Healy's pharmacy, has returned from a two weeks' trip on the south shore of Long Island.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Ross of North Quinnipiac street, was celebrated very pleasantly last evening. A number of friends being present. There were a banquet and enjoyable music by the Independent cornet band of Montowese. Among the presents were a full silver tea set and twenty-five silver dollars.

Miss Grace A. Johnson, H. E. S. '95, has been spending two weeks of her vacation on the Plainville camp grounds.

Miss Marshall of Waterbury, who has been visiting Mrs. Henry Keesh of Exchange street, has returned home.

It looked like old times yesterday at the Grand avenue bridge. There was a string of boats across the river below the bridge and several fishermen were stationed on the bridge endeavoring to entrap the striped bass, but it was an off day and several "cars" of shrimp were used to no purpose.

George E. Purington of the Chicago National bank, accompanied by his daughter, is making a tour of the eastern states. This week he is stopping with Warden Sizer.

G. E. Brown, the builder, is putting a fence in front of the Center street school.

Mrs. Fred Holiday of Mystic is visiting Mrs. E. Holiday of Center street.

Mrs. C. Palmer and daughter have gone to Patchogue, L. I., for a two weeks' visit.

About five hundred people attended the entertainment given by the Quinnipiac hose company at the Four Corners last evening. The exercises were held in a large tent which had been erected on Grannis' corner opposite the New Haven Street Railway company's waiting rooms. The platform was in the north end and was decorated with flags and banks of flowers. The program was as follows:

Selection—Silver Bell—Barry Club.
Recitation—Mr. John Fahy.
Solo—Little Bunch Barker.
Recitation—Mr. Robert Hart.
Solo—Mr. Harry Mozellous.
Recitation—Miss Irene Evans.
Bass Solo—Mr. Joseph Criddle.
Recitation—Mr. Alfred Phelps.
Piano and Flute Duet—Mr. and Miss Edmondson.
Recitation—Miss Elsie Barker.
Solo—Miss Elsie Barker.
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The Quinnipiac hose company is a new and thrifty organization of the Fire ward and is very much gratified with the success of its first entertainment.

Among the members of East Rock lodge, A. O. U. W., who enjoyed the trolley ride to East Haven, Morris Cove and Lake Whitney last evening were: W. S. Compton, J. P. Ricketts, Morris Buell, E. S. Wade, Ernest Cooper, Elmer Howard, Henry Palmer, John Hotchkiss, C. J. Rhodes, C. H. Martin, R. B. Parson, Arthur Smith, L. D. Lindsey, John L. Wetherax, Charles Geo. Dickman, Friend Francis, N. A. Beebe, Ed Henderson, George Munson, Ira Fonda, C. A. J. Pirot, William Prince. Every Thursday evening this lodge holds a short business meeting, and then enjoys a trolley ride or some other source of pleasure.

NEW ENGLAND ROAD.

A New Haven Broker Says New York Central Control Is Indicated.

The great change in quotations of New York and New England and Consolidated railroad stock the past few days has provoked wide comment in this city. The fact that Consolidated stock dropped three or four points yesterday and New England rose seven points in two days has created some interest here, where both New England and Consolidated stock are held extensively.

The officials of the Consolidated railroad decline to express any opinion on the fluctuation except to state that the New England road does not control the New England, as they have steadfastly maintained. A leading local broker said yesterday afternoon:

"The significance of the rise of New England stock and the fall of Consolidated is that people believe that the New York Central, and not the Consolidated, directs the New England and will continue to do so. If this is true it will be a general surprise, for the public are generally convinced that the New Haven road would control the New England after the recent mortgage sale in Hartford."

Picnicked at Merwin's Point.
The Zion M. E. church of Hamden, Rev. William H. Singleton pastor, held its annual picnic at Merwin's Point in Sanford's grove yesterday. The picnickers came from Hamden in seven special cars, and about 450 were in the party, which included representatives from the various colored churches of this city.

VETERAN ODD FELLOWS

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STATE LODGE AT WOODMONT.

William Bristol of Ansonia Presided—Speeches by Grand Master Ailing, Mayor Hendrick and Others—Many Ladies Present—Too Many at Dinner—List of Those Present.

The Veteran Odd Fellows' association of Connecticut held their annual summer outing and semi-annual meeting at Sanford's in Woodmont yesterday. More members of the order were present than is usual on this occasion, and about 100 were in attendance.

The party met at the corner of Church and Chapel streets at 11:30, and was taken to Woodmont in special cars.

Dinner was served at Sanford's hotel and ninety-five sat down at the tables. Many ladies were present in the party and enjoyed the outing immensely.

Short speeches were made after the dinner by Mayor Hendrick, Vice Chief William Bristol of Ansonia, who presided; Past Grand Master Comly of Bridgeport, Past Grand Master A. W. Phelps of New Haven, Past Grand Master B. S. Keith of Norwich and Grand Master of the State D. R. Ailing of New Haven; also by Grand Herald Robert Sizer of New Haven.

Arrangements had been made with Mr. Sanford to have the Odd Fellows' dinner at 1:30, but after these arrangements were made Mr. Sanford arranged to prepare dinner for the past masters of Masons of New Haven county, at about the same hour, so that when the Odd Fellows came to sit down to dinner fifteen or twenty Masons were at the same table, while about twenty Odd Fellows and ladies were compelled to wait about an hour before they could be served.

Perhaps one reason for this was because Mr. Sanford only expected seventy-five Odd Fellows and ninety-five were present instead of the expected number, while of the Masons there were fifty-seven. Instead of thirty-five, as he expected.

About twenty of the Masons and their friends were served at an extra table set in the parlors of the hotel. The rest, about forty, had to wait until about 4 o'clock before their appetites could be appeased.

They spent the interval in a social way and in looking at the young bear and there was some talk of having a little bear steak for a lunch before dinner.

Among those present at the Odd Fellows' dinner table were: Mayor Hendrick, William B. Judd and wife of Waterbury, Past Grand Master Leopold de Leeuw of Hartford, Grand Patriarch W. H. Tyler of Meriden, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Foote of New Haven, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Mix of Hamden, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Nettleton, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Bunce, Mr. and Mrs. Beardsley, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wall, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Merwin, Mr. and Mrs. George Moses and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Judson, Miss Hungerford, Chaplain Ward Nichols, Elizer H. Sperry, John B. Clemmons, Francis Lawrence, George N. French, J. R. Hurlburt, W. A. Curtis, W. S. Redfield, E. V. Woodbridge, Henry C. Goodwin, J. N. Chapin, William W. White, E. W. Baldwin, Henry Smith, all of New Haven; J. Ralph Emmerston of Ansonia, Road Iveson of Bridgeport, Horace H. Phelps of West Chester, Sheriff Peck of West Haven, Deacon Hanson of New Haven, Mr. Larkins, the builder, of New Haven; O. J. Whiting of New Haven, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Coe of Wallingford, also the following from New Haven: George P. Merwin, the builder; J. Edward Northrop, William Judd, the venerable Charles A. Nettleton, ex-chief engineer of the old Veteran Volunteer Fire department, and wife; Henry H. Bromley, Edward M. Armstrong, the rubber manufacturer; H. M. Bishop, the druggist, and member of the state pharmacy commission; the venerable ex-Alderman Benjamin H. Douglass, Deacon Bryden.

The social and business meetings were presided over by Vice Veteran William Bristol of Ansonia, who took the chair in place of Chief Thomas C. Hollis, recently deceased. Mr. Hollis' successor will be elected at the annual meeting to be held in February next. After the dinner and speeches the remainder of the afternoon was spent in a pleasant social good time until about 5:30, when two special cars brought the party to New Haven.

CAMPOS DISCOURAGED.

Reported to Have Told Spain She Must Send 100,000 Troops to Cuba or Give Up.

London, Aug. 15.—The Times prints a dispatch dated Havana, August 10, saying that there is a persistent rumor in circles that are usually well informed regarding government affairs, that Captain General Campos has telegraphed to the government at Madrid that only two courses are open to Spain—she must either send 100,000 troops to Cuba, or must grant the island complete autonomy.

The dispatch also says that General Campos when asked whether he thought the rebellion would be finished by next summer said he hoped so, but that human hopes were liable to disappointment. It is stated upon good authority, according to the dispatch, that the Spanish soldiers have died from yellow fever during the past few weeks at an average of 320 a day.

To Race for Oats.

At the Branford races to-day George White's Dynamite is entered in the free-for-all and Police Commissioner Doolittle's May Wilkes in the 2-40 class. The police commissioner will drive both horses. The stakes are oats.

DIED IN HIS CHAIR.

Sudden Death of James Walker in His Office at 127 Orange Street.

James Walker of the brokerage firm of the Alfred Walker company died in his office at 127 Orange street late yesterday afternoon. A newsboy who delivers a paper at the office found him partially unconscious in his chair at about 4:30 o'clock and notified John E. Lomas, a broker in the same building, and Dr. C. Purdy Lindale and Dr. Samuel D. Gilbert were called in.

Mr. Walker regained consciousness and was able to speak. He said he had been vomiting severely and had been ill about two hours. The physicians found his heart's action very weak and applied remedies, but he died in his chair.

Medical Examiner White was called and pronounced death due to heart disease, and the body was removed to Mr. Walker's house at 116 First avenue, West Haven.

Mr. Walker was about fifty-eight years old and was a nephew of the late Alfred Walker, who was prominent in the furniture business in this city for many years, James and another brother being, in his later business career, associated with him, first in Church street and afterward in Center street.

Then James and his uncle went into the business of western farm loans and local real estate, the furniture business having been disposed of. Finally Alfred Walker retired from the business on account of old age and R. E. Rice became associated with James in the business. Mr. Rice is at present away on his summer vacation.

Mr. Walker leaves a wife, two sons and two daughters. He was a veteran of the Grays and a member of the Congregational church. He was a man of sterling integrity and highly esteemed by his associates in business and by all who knew him. His nature was refined and gentle. He was a true friend and an estimable citizen, whose death will be sincerely mourned by all who knew him.

The deceased years ago too much enjoyment in music and was a prominent member of the locally famous Mendelssohn society of those days. The deceased returned only a few days ago from an extended business trip in the west and spoke quite hopefully of the business prospects in the west and appeared to be in excellent spirits. He had, however, occasional attacks of difficulty of breathing in the last few years, which were attributed to indigestion.

The deceased leaves, besides the relatives mentioned, two brothers, one of whom resides in Chicago, the other near Chicago. For quite a number of years the deceased lived in Orange, having given to an improvement in the air conduits to be in excellent spirits. He had, however, occasional attacks of difficulty of breathing in the last few years, which were attributed to indigestion.

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AT SAVIN ROCK.

Another Grand Fireworks Display and Illumination To-night—The Jugglers Too.

This evening will occur another grand fireworks display and illumination at the Rock, and the Grove will be gallily decorated with Chinese lanterns and red fire. The performance by the great troupe of Japanese jugglers will commence at 7:45 sharp, at the termination of which the fireworks will be set off, about 8:30 o'clock.

All those who have not seen these wonderful performers should do so at once, as they have only four more performances here.

Further notice will be given in regard to band concerts, fireworks and balloon ascensions, which will occur later on in the season.

Excursions from all over the state have been arranged for between the Consolidated road and the electric road, and these will appear every day, from now to the end of the season.

ITALIAN PICNIC.

A Big Time at Schuetzen Park Yesterday.

The Italians of the city and their friends from Danbury and Meriden, held a big picnic at Schuetzen park yesterday. In the morning a parade was held, which started from the corner of Crown and Church streets. The order of the procession of the societies was as follows:

First Division—E. S. Del Greco, marshal; M. Del Greco, aide.
Platoon of Police.
Nicolaie band, New Haven.
Humbert No. 1 of Danbury.
Victor Emanuel, of Meriden.
Garibaldi, of New Haven.
Second Division.
Lombardi's band, New Haven.
Frattalanzi, New Haven.
San Antoni, New Haven.
Marina, New Haven.
Concordia, New Haven.
Columbus, New Haven.

In the afternoon at the park there was a long program of athletic sports for the state Foresters' championship. A poem by Police Commissioner Daniel S. Gihuly was a feature of the meeting. The evening was devoted to dancing. Several prize contests were held.

The party began leaving the green at noon for the point and for three hours thereafter the electric cars, bound for the Lighthouse, were packed. It was estimated that over 2,500 persons attended the picnic.

Used a Rod for Whip.
Sol Hagleton, colored, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of drunkenness and cruelty to animals. Sol lives in Hamden and was driving a horse through Ivy street, hurrying the animal on with an iron rod. Policeman Keenan grabbed him in and he was released on \$150 bail.

Big Italian Parade.
The Italian societies of the state will meet in this city September 20 to celebrate the entrance of the Italians in Rome in 1870. It is expected that there will be one thousand men in the parade.

CAMBRIDGE TEAM IS TO SAIL

PASSAGE ENGAGED FOR THE CAMBRIDGE TEAM TO NEW YORK.

E. H. Lowe Has Cabled That He Has Engaged Passage for the Cambridge Men Who Will Meet Yale in the Athletic Contests in the Fall.

New York, Aug. 15.—E. H. Lowe to-day cabled from England that he had engaged passage for the Cambridge university team which is to compete with the Yale team. The Cambridge team will sail on the Aurania on August 27. Mr. Lowe cabled the names as follows: W. H. Fletcher, F. S. Horan, W. Fitzherbert, C. H. Lewin, C. Gower-Williams, E. H. Wilding, A. B. Johnston, E. M. Jennings, W. E. Lutyns, W. Mendelsohn, E. J. Watson, H. J. Davenport and W. J. Oakley.

Shrewsbury will accompany the team as judge and Henry Brooks of the Queen's club, West Kensington, will come as business manager.

C. T. Sherwell of Yale, who went to England to represent the interests of Yale and to bring about the games, is still in London. It is probable that he will return to this country before the team.

The London Athletic club's team which is to compete with the team of the New York club will be fellow passengers on the Aurania on August 27.

REUNION OF THE NINTH C. V.

Held at the Sea View at Savin Rock, Yesterday.

The annual reunion of the Ninth regiment, Connecticut Volunteers, was held at the Sea View house, Savin Rock, yesterday. At noon a business meeting was held at which the following officers were elected:

Captain Sheridan, president; E. E. McMurray of Jacksonville, Fla., vice president; M. P. Coen of Naugatuck, treasurer; Father Leo of Winsted, chaplain, and Captain William Gleason, secretary.

The monument committee reported progress, and the following additional members were elected: Colonel J. G. Healy and J. E. Healy. Dinner was served at 2 o'clock. Among those present were: Judge P. Kane of Bridgeport, whose father was a member of the regiment; Colonel Fitzpatrick, Colonel Healy, J. E. Healy, B. Lynch, J. Shaw, M. Hubon, J. McKuire, James Caffery, D. Heffernan, P. Kelley, B. Brant, P. J. Mahoney of Springfield, H. Mandle of Waterbury, Mr. Orman of Naugatuck, J. H. James of Ansonia, J. H. Ward of Bridgeport, J. C. Curtis, W. F. Burlingame of Springfield, D. Kahil of Waterbury, F. Willington of Bridgeport, and T. Nabland of Bridgeport. G. A. R. Department Commander McMurray of Florida, C. E. Hall, C. Doody and T. Rochford. Three members died during the year: Captain D. C. Warner of Lyme, John Driscoll of New Haven, J. McGuire of Hartford. The place and time